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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT: COMPREHENSIVE
ANALYSIS OF THE ENVIRONMENT (02.07-11)

1. ON MARCH 20 EMBASSY RECEIVED LETTER (DATED MARCH 16)
FROM YURIY IZRAEL', CHAIRMAN OF THE HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL
SERVICE, TO CARL GERBER, U.S. CHAIRMAN OF SUBJECT PROJECT.
INFORMAL EMBASSY TRANSLATION FOLLOWS PARA 2 BELOW.
(ORIGINAL POUCHED TO SHOSTAL, REGISTRY NO. 952739.)
HYDROMET REP INFORMED EMBOFF THAT SOVIETS ARE PLANNING
EXTENSIVE PROGRAM OF VISITS IN THE BAIKAL AREAS FOR THE U.S.
DELEGATION, INCLUDING VISITS TO LIMLINOLOGICAL INSTITUTE IN
IRKUTSK AND PULP MILLS AND NATURE PRESERVES NEAR BAIKAL.
IN ORDER TO FACILITATE NECESSARY INTER-AGENCY PLANNING
HYDROMET REP REQUESTED CONFIRMATION OF ACCEPTABILITY DATES
AND SIZE OF U.S. DELEGATION ASAP.

2. DEAR DR. GERBER:

ACCORDING TO THE MEMORANDUM SIGNED AT THE SIXTH JCM THERE
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SHOULD BE AN EXCHANGE OF DELEGATIONS TO PREPARE THE FOURTH
SOVIET-AMERICAN SYMPOSIUM ON COMPREHENSIVE ANALYSIS OF THE
ENVIRONMENT. IT WOULD BE USEFUL (FROM THE POINT OF WEATHER)
FOR THE AMERICAN DELEGATION TO VISIT THE USSR IN JULY AND
FOR THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO VISIT THE U.S. IN SEPTEMBER.
WE ARE PLANNING THAT BAIKAL BE ONE OF THE TWO REGIONS OF
THE SOVIET UNION FOR DISCUSSION AT THE SYMPOSIUM AND THERE-

FORE IT IS BEST TO ARRANGE THE VISIT IN JULY. THE COMPOSITION OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION WILL PROBABLY BE THE SAME AS LAST YEAR. IN ADDITION TO VISITING THE REGION CHOSEN BY YOU, THE DELEGATION WOULD ALSO BE INTERESTED IN FAMILIARIZATION WITH THE ECOLOGICAL WORK OF BIOSPHERE RESERVES IN THE USA. I AWAIT YOUR CONFIRMATION OF THE TIME OF THE VISIT AND YOUR PROPOSALS ABOUT THE PROGRAM.
SINCERELY, YURIY IZRAEL'. TOON

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